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Transmitted herewith is the patent application of () application identifier or (X) first named inventor, ROBERT J. LIPSHUTZ RONALD SAPOLSKY and CHASSAN GHANDOUR, entitled POLYMORPHISM DETECTION, for a(n):

() Original Patent Application.

(X) Continuing Application (prior application not abandoned):

(X) Continuation () Divisional () Continuation-in-part (CIP)
of prior Application No. 08/853,370 filed May 8, 1997, which is a continuation-in-part of 08/563,762, filed November 29, 1995 and claims the benefit of U.S. provisional application 60/017,260, filed May 10, 1996.

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No. _____, filed _____.

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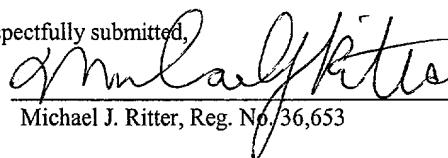
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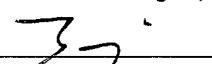
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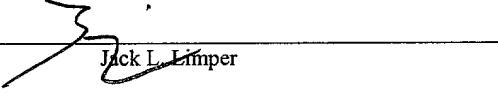
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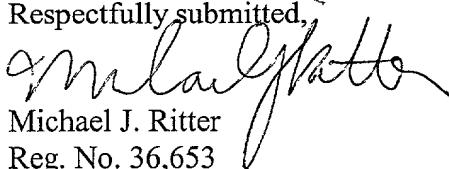

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Sir:

The paper form of the Sequence Listing of the subject application is identical to the computer readable form of parent Application No. 08/853,370, filed May 8, 1997 (attorney docket no. AFFYP016). Therefore, pursuant to 37 CFR § 821(e), Applicant requests that the Patent Office use the computer readable form of the Sequence Listing from the parent application.

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